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CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

CONTRACTING OFFICER'S
DETERMINATIONS AND FINDINGS

AUTHORITY TO NEGOTIATE CONTRACT

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The Central Intelligence Agency proposes to enter into a contract with [REDACTED] New York for the procurement of a Preliminary Engineering Study on a Spin Stabilized Satellite Reconnaissance System.

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I hereby find that this procurement, Project CORONA, is estimated to cost [REDACTED] and is chargeable to Fiscal Year 1958 funds and is for the procurement of a Preliminary Engineering Study on a Spin Stabilized Satellite Reconnaissance System. I also find that this procurement is in the interest of National Defense and that it will be certified by the Director of Central Intelligence in accordance with procedure approved by the DCI on 15 December 1956, to be for objects of a confidential, extraordinary and emergency nature and therefore within the purview of procurement authority of the Agency as stated in Section 10(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress. Procurement by formal advertising of the services called for by the proposed Contract No. MI-250 would result in public disclosure of the nature and character of the article and its operational capabilities and would thereby jeopardize the security classification of this project.

I hereby determine, as Contracting Officer for this contract, that the necessity and authority for negotiation of this contract have been adequately documented by proper Agency authority, and that the proposed contract must necessarily be negotiated without formal advertising.

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Contracting Officer, DFE/DCI

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NEGOTIATED CONTRACT

CONTRACT NO. AF33(600)-37730

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Contract for:

Amount: [REDACTED]

Mail Invoices to:

Administrative Data:

This contract is entered into, by and between the United States of America, hereinafter called the Government, represented by the Contracting Officer executing this contract, and the above-named Contractor which is a Corporation, incorporated in the State of [REDACTED], hereinafter called the Contractor.

The Parties hereto agree that the Contractor shall furnish the necessary facilities and deliver all supplies and shall perform all the services set forth in the attached schedule issued hereunder for the consideration stated therein.

The rights and obligations of the parties to this contract shall be subject to and governed by the attached Schedule APPENDIX I and General Provisions, which together with this signature page and the accompanying certificate comprise this Contract No. AF33(600)-37730. In the event of any inconsistency between the Schedule and the General Provisions, the Schedule shall control.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this contract as of 30 June 1958

Signatures:

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
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By [REDACTED]

Contracting Officer

[REDACTED]
General Manager
Defense Products Division

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